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Part B for March 1922

SUBJECT.

Management of the affairs of the Hazrat Syed Saheb's Dargah at Hanagere Sirihalli Tk.

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(4). The Dy Comr. Shimoga & the Comptroller to Govt No 2893-4 & 9-3-22 Orders that the Dargah in question may be taken over to Govt. Management

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FILE HEADING.

Management of the affairs of the Hazarath Syed Sahib's Darga at Hanagere, Tirthalli Taluk

From

Murrai Superintendent

R. No. 309 Dated 27.1.20 Received 28.1.20

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BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

Submits for orders of Govt letter No OC. 1398 Rev 16-17 dy 18 12.19 and the connected records Re proposals for the better Management of the Darga in y[illegible]

NOTES AND ORDERS.

In october 1907 a petition was received in this office that the funds of the Syed Sahib's Darga at Hanagere in the Tirthahalli Taluk were being misappropriated by certain persons+

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that its affairs were all in mismanages
the petitioners prayed that the
properties of the Darga may be
kept in the Govt Treasury and
the institution better under Govt
management. This petition was
forwarded to the Dy Comm.r,
Shimoga Dt, for early disposal
or report if necessary, ~~etc~~
along with O. M. No 1846/Inspn
106-17-20 dated the 2nd Feb 1918.

2) There upon the local
authorities instituted an
inquiry into the affairs of the
Darga and have now sent
up to Govt their proposals
for the better management of
the institution in future.

3) The following facts are
gathered from the records
sent with the Dy Comm's
report. —

The Darga is situated in
the midst of the forest near
Hanagere in the Tirthahalli
Taluk and is not easily
accessible. It has devote

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both among the Hindus & mahomedan populations in the locality, who visit the place frequently with offerings of Gold, silver & cash in fulfilment of their vows. The affairs of the Durga are under the management of one Babadab, the Trustees of the institution, who now appropriate the cash realisations of the Durga and conducts services there. Some years ago when the affairs of the Durga was in confusion the Kheji of Shimoga went to the place and arranged matters somewhat ~~by appointing a Committee of Management, with himself~~ and became the Visitador himself. But its affairs still continued to be bad and according to the statements made before the taluk authorities, there seems to be a general opinion that the Gold and silver belonging to the Durga, when

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are now in the hands of of ~~Pudda~~ one Pulteamiah of Basavanagudi (Silver 2327 1/4, Gold 13 5/16 tolas & Cash Rs 4) may be sold and the proceeds credited to the Treasury that a representative Committee of Management be appointed to supervise the work of the Durga and that the offer of the Temple Servants to pay Rs one hundred per annum to the funds of the institution be accepted, and he being permitted to appropriate the Cash realisations at the Durga & Conduct ~~it~~ Services as per manool thereing all the Gold and Silver articles received during the year being, as heretofore, handed over by them for the benefit of the institution

4) The Dy Comm of the ~~t~~ T agrees with the suggested arrangements of the devotees and the Amildar of the Talukg but states that there appears to be no necessity to take the institution under Govt Management.

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Subs for orders

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The Instrument endorsed with Collector Land Acquisition +

& The Case may be dealt with under Sec. 9 of the Land Acq. Act. ~~The Amendment~~. It seems to be high time some scheme for the proper management of the Estates be framed under Sub-para 3 of the Section 7. Until actually taking over the Estates under Court management —

A Committee may be appointed & they may be asked to draw up the scheme & submit it to the Collector — the latter dispensing of the Subdivisional Officers & the Scheme for orders. Apart altogether to the Magnitude & nature of the Scheme proposed.

of 4 non-Official Members presided over by the Asst

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Has there been Govt and President Muzaffarnagar Inquiry or is any of the other circumstances referred to in the present? W J 9/3/20

Attn

9 On Complaints received from the public, the local authorities made enquiries into the case and ~~the~~ in the course of their investigation they have obtained a ~~Memorial of~~ statement from the ~~men~~ Manager of the institution to conduct the affairs of the institution on certain lines, to which the local public have no objection On these ~~the~~ depositions the Dy Commr has based his recommendations. No specific irregularities, calling for Govt interference, have been found out

10 to draft calling for the information from the ~~Dy~~ Commr ~~Collector~~ Supdt is submitted for approval & other orders

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II In para 2 of his letter the Dr. reports that the Jeo Daya derives a large income in the shape of offerings & that the Mutawan appropriates ~~& adds the same~~ the whole of such income -

IV This practically tantamounts to misappropriation; ~~& that~~ the proposal to allow the Mutawan Rs 100 a year & the Mutt. - presumably himself taking all the income - does not commend itself to acceptance - It practically means that the Mutawan will be obliged to Leg. squeeze out as much as he can from the devotees - his liability to the Mutt being limited to an annual payment of Rs 100 -

V A better scheme may be devised +.

(Secy) Attd 15/3/20.

VI The D Commr may be asked to report clearly the circumstances under which ~~it~~ would justify ~~it~~ interference in the manner proposed by him and the provision of law under which action could be taken

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I am doubtful if the Deputy Magistrate's "Disappropriation" when he uses the word appropriation

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Draft Subs for appl as desired

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2. To, by. Commr. Shimoga it.
No. 3251 dy. 25.3.20.
Requests to report clearly the circumstances which would justify Govt. interference in the matter & also to intimate the provision of law under which action should be taken.

3. From, the Dy. Commr, Shimoga Dis.
Letter no. 1395 Dy 13/16 Feby. 22.
Recommends that as there is sufficient evidence of mismanagement, Govt may take action under Sec. 8 of the Muzrai Regulation, and adds that the Muzavar and the Panchayatdars are also agreeable

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to invest in the Mysore Govt Savings Bank, the Sale proceeds of the Superfluous Silver and other articles and vessels etc.

The Dy. Com'r's letter explains the facts of the case.

Submit for orders.

16.2.22.

Allow the persons in actual possession of the Mukhtyam viz., Baba Sab and Yakub Sab to manage it as Mokhtyamdars.

(Registered on 6-5-18 before the Sale & Amildar)

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Baba Sab, Banne Sab and Yakoob Sab - persons in actual possession have stated that the Dargah may continue in their management as heretofore, that after meeting the cost of expenditure, they will deposit Rs 100/- before the end of May of every year, and have also that in case of default, Govt may assume its management, and that they will not raise any objection

Submitted.

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We were fold that there is an accumulation of a large quantity of silver, which ~~it~~ being the result of being misappropriated, does not in the opinion of the inspection there has been gross and persistent mismanagement in the affairs of this institution. There have been large accumulations of silver both at Nanyuki & Thika.

In the absence of proof of such mismanagement, I do not interfere under sec 2 of the Trustees Regulation and direct the Secretary of the Institution to pass on the other bronze referred to in that section.

But under sec 3, I am empowered to appoint the Manager of a religious or charitable trust when the trustees or persons in actual possession voluntarily transfer the management. In this case, the persons in actual possession have given a statement that they will make over the [illegible]

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And [illegible] after meeting all [illegible] Agent to go and [illegible] if he should [illegible] to [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] This is an undertaking to [illegible] to take up the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

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in the presence of Panchayatdars and sold and the proceeds credited to the funds of the institution. Arrangements should be made by the DC for the preparation of a scale of expenditure and the appointment of Dharmadhikaris in consultation with the Inspector of this institution will be a matter for Second Member's [illegible]

44-29-95
20.2.22

I agree with the Secy's remarks. Further action may be taken on the lines indicated in the concluding paragraphs of his above note.

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Dept. Secretary.

Submitted for orders as to whether it is not necessary to communicate the order in the form of a G.O.

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Sr Asstr. with a fair Dft.
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The member has approved of the recommendations of the Secy. The draft (corrected by the Secy) is in accordance with the same & may, if appd, be issued.
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4	To The Dy Commr., Shimoga Dist.
Comptroller to Govt.
No: 4893-4 dy 9th March 1922.
Orders that the Hazaretu Syed Saheb's Dargah at Nagar in the Tirthahalli Taluk may be taken over to Government management.

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OFFICE OF THE
MUZRAI SUPERINTENDENT
IN MYSORE.

NOTE

SUBJECT :-- Management of the affairs of the Hazarath Syed Saheb's Daràga at Hanagere in the Thirthahalli Taluk.

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I beg to submit herewith for favour of Government Orders letter No.O.C. 1395 (Rev) 16-17 dated 18th December 1919 together with its enclosures received from the Deputy Commissioner of the Shimoga District, submitting proposals for the better management of the above Darga and to state that the present correspondence originated on a petition forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner for disposal or report if necessary, with Muzrai Secretary's No. 1799/Muz.106-15 dated 31-1-16.

2. The Darga is not a Muzrai Institution as it has not been endowed with cash or lands by Government.

Muzrai Superintendent.

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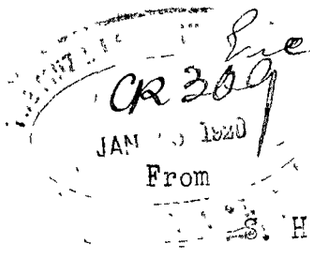
No.O.C.1895(Rev)16-17. Office of the Deputy Commissioner
Shimoga District,
Date: Shimoga 12/13th December 1916.



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From

S. Hiriannaiya, Esquire., M.A., B.L.,
Deputy Commissioner,
Shimoga District.

To

T.E. Jayarama Iyer, Esquire., B.A., B.L.,
Muzrai Superintendent in Mysore,
Bangalore.

22.12.19
References—

Sir,

I have the honor to state that on receipt of your memorandum No.1709/Muz.106-15 dated the 31st January 1916 forwarding a petition from Rangoji Rao and others of Hanagere in the Tirthahalli Taluk, representing that the jewels etc., belonging to the Darga in the village having been misappropriated by some one and praying that steps may be taken to recover the same for the benifit of the institution etc., the Amildar of the Taluk was directed to hold an enquiry and submit a report with the connected records in the matter.

Read 16.1.20

The Amildar states in his report No.1174 dated the 10th May 1916 that all the properties were inspected by him on 6th May 1916 and that the institution possessed on the date of inspection 2007½ tolas of silver, 13 5/16 tolas of gold and Rs.4/- in cash. The total value of this property at 8 annas and Rs.18/- per tola of silver and gold respectively comes to about Rs. 1407-4-0. The Amildar reports that besides the above property, the Darga also owns a number of vessels and a few cattle and that all the vessels (except a few) and the cattle are required for the use of the Darga itself.

2 The Darga derives its income only from the offerings which devotees make from time to time in the shape of cash, gold and silver articles etc. The cash offerings amounts to Rs. 400/- to 500/- a year on an average. The whole cash income is now bei-

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appropriated by the Muzavar; but the Amildar reports that, at his instance the Muzavar has agreed to give yearly a sum of Rs.100/- and to hand over all the gold and silver articles received during the year, for the benifit of the institution.

3 The above arrangements as reported by the Amildar, appear to be suitable and may be accepted. The institution has no endowed immovable property of any kind and there appears to be no necessity to take the institution under Government management.

4 The proceeds from the sale of gold and silver and the cash which the Muzavar has agreed to pay every year may be invested in the Saving's Bank in the name of the institution, to be used for its benifit whenever occasion for the same arises.

5. I would also propose the appointment of the five out of nine gentlemen noted in the enclosed list as Dharmadarsies of the ------- institution. Two of them atleast may be Mahamodans.

6. If the above proposals are agreeable the gold and silver articles will be sold by public auction and the amount realized will be credited in the Savings Bank in the name of the institution. As the buildings are in urgent need of repairs, an estimate will be called for and submitted to Government if deemed necessary.

7. The entire file ending with Tirthahalli Taluk Amildar's report No.353 dated the 2nd October 1919 is enclosed.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

For Deputy Commissioner,

Shimoga District.

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No. B.25. Emp. 12-

Date of issue 29.3.20

Signed by Mr. A Sh Ajas

To

The Dy Commr,
Shimoga Dt

Sir,

With reference to your letter No C.C1395 (Rev) 16-17 dated 12/18th December 1919 to the Amildar Supdt in Emp making certain ~~suggestions~~ proposals for the better management of the affairs of the Hazaratli Syed Saheb's Dargah at Hanagere

over.

in the Tirthahalli Taluk, I am directed to request you to be so good as to report clearly the circumstances which would justify Government interference in the matter and also to intimate the provision of law under which action should be taken

The Vernacular records connected with the subject are returned herewith for reference & resubmission with reply.

I have &c

List of enclosures.

Mr Lacey to Govt.
Jamz Dept
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3252 & 29.3.20

Copied by

Examined by.

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Office of the Deputy Commissioner,
Shimoga District.

No O.C.1395/Rev.16-17.
Encl. One file.

Shimoga 15/13th F e b, 1920.

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From

G. Aravamudu Iengar, Esq., B.A., B.L.,
Deputy Commissioner,
Shimoga District.

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To

T. R. Jayarama Iyer, Esq., B.A., B.L.,
Muzrai Secretary to Government,
Bangalore.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No: 3251/Muz.512-19-2, dated the 29th March 1920, calling for a report on the circumstances which would justify Government interference with the management of the affairs of the Hazarath Syed Sahib's Darga, at Hanagere, in the Thirthahalli Taluk and also to intimate the provision of the law under which action should be taken, I have the honour to state that the mere fact that such a lot of silver and gold articles presented to the Institution has been kept on hand at imminent risk of loss and without earning an income to the Institution by proper investment, is sufficient evidence of mismanagement so as to entitle Government to take action under Section 8 of the Mysore Muzrai Regulation. Besides, the Institution is wholly maintained by the occasional offerings of devotees and the Muzawar and the Panchayetdars are more or less irresponsible to the devotee public who fear that the accumulations during the past years may get lost or misappropriated.

2. Under these circumstances, the case seems to me a fit one to proceed under the above provision of the Regulation. At all events, permission may be granted to have the superfluous silver

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and gold articles and vessels sold and the amount credited to the Institution, treated as a Savings Bank depositor, to which account may also be credited from time to time, realisations from such sales and the annual payments of Rs. 100/- promised by the Mu Muzawar. It is to be noted that the above arrangement is also agreeable to the Muzawar and the Panchayetdars of the Institution.

3. The entire correspondence, ending with the Shimoga Sub Division Officer's Yadi No:L.C.855 of 21-22, dated the 31st January 1922, is herein enclosed for reference and return.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Deputy Commissioner,

Shimoga District.

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Proceedings of the Government of H. H.
the Maharaja of Mysore.

Read --

Correspondence ending with letter No.1395 dated 13th February 1922 from the Deputy Commissioner, Shimoga District, reporting that the affairs of Hazarath Syed Saheb's Darga at Hanagere in the Tirthahalli taluk which is maintained by the occasional offerings of devotees, are being mismanaged, its income being appropriated by the Muzawar in charge, that several gold and silver articles presented to the institution have been kept in his personal custody at imminent risk of loss without being converted into cash and invested, that the Muzawar has however agreed to deposit a sum of Rs.100/- every year for the benefit of the institution and also to invest the sale proceeds of the superflous gold, silver, vessels &c. and recommending the assumption of the management of the institution by Government ~~under Sec.8 of the Muzrai Regulation.~~

Order -- No. 4895-[illegible] / Muz 572-19-4

Dated

On a consideration of all the circumstances of the case, Government are pleased to direct that the institution in question be taken under Government management, the present Muzawar being allowed to continue in office. The gold and silve articles

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may immediately be taken possession of by the Amildar in the presence of Panchayatdars, and those which are superflous sold and the sale proceeds credited to the funds of the institution.

2. As the institution will be a minor one, arrangements should be made for fixing a scale of expenditure and for the appointment of Dharmadarsis in consultation with the Muz. Superintendent, as early as possible.

Secretary to Government,
Muz. Deptt.

To

The Deputy Commr., Shimoga Dist. returning the enclosures.

The Comptroller, Mysore Govt.

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